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RESPONSE TO NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Mail Stop **AMENDMENT** Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

The Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed July 2, 2009 makes reference to the fact that Applicants' Response of March 6, 2009 incorrectly categorized the status of claim 14 as "Previously Presented" despite the fact that it had been canceled in the response of September 25, 2008. It appears that claims 14 and 15 were inadvertently interchanged. Accordingly, Applicants submit herewith replacement of page 3 of the Amendment and Request for Reconsideration filed March 6, 2009, correcting the status of claim 14 to be "Canceled" instead of "Previously Presented" and the status of claim 15 to be "Previously Presented" instead of "Canceled". Applicants respectfully petition for the entry of the attached page and for action on the March 6th response in due course.

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Response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed July 2, 2009

The Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment of July 2, 2009 set a one-month shortened statutory period for response. In that response is due on or before August 2, 2009, Applicants submit that this response is timely and no additional fees are required. However, in the event that further fees are required to enter the instant response and/or maintain the pendency of this application, the Commissioner is authorized to charge such fees to our Deposit Account No. 50-2101.

If the Examiner has any questions or concerns regarding this communication, she is invited to contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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